DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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DAILY PURCHASE LIMIT POLICY STATEMENT

To preclude black marketing incidents involving Department of Defense (DoD) personnel stationed on board Fleet Activities (FLEACT), Yokosuka and in view of COMNAVFORJAPANINST 4050.2J, I am issuing daily purchase limits per family unit for the items listed below. This policy applies to all eligible patrons who make purchases at Morale, Welfare and Recreation (MWR) facilities; Navy Exchange (NEX) facilities; and Commissary stores located at FLEACT, Yokosuka, Yokohama Detachment, New Sanno Hotel and Hardy Barracks. family may exceed these limits at facilities under my control without obtaining an approved waiver of purchase limits from the cognizant facility manager. Violation of COMNAVFORJAPANINST 4050.2J by military personnel is punitive and may be punished under the Uniform Code of Military Justice. For all eligible patrons, violation of this policy statement is a basis for loss of purchase privileges and for all civilians, it is a basis for referral to the Civilian Administrative Forum (CAF) for appropriate administrative action.

Purchase restrictions will be applied to the items listed below:

ProductDaily LimitRice25 PoundsSoda2 Cases

Coffee 1 Can (regardless of size)
Beer/Malt Beverages 2 Cases (24 cans/bottles)
Distilled Spirits 3 Bottles

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Cigarettes 2 Cartons

Steaks 10 Individual Packages

Perfume or Cologne 2 Bottles

Daily purchase limits will be posted conspicuously in the immediate vicinity of the controlled items and at each register. Nothing in this policy letter is intended to limit a manager's authority to place shelf limits on items in order to ensure an equitable distribution of products that are in limited supply.

Duty-free goods are available to U.S. Forces personnel and family members for their personnel use and consumption. Patrons should generally not purchase quantities of any item that exceeds reasonable needs for a one to two-week period. As a general rule, purchases in excess of 10 of the same pre-packaged or canned item will not be authorized without an approved waiver.

Questions about this policy may be directed to the Staff Judge Advocate, FLEACT, Yokosuka, at 243-7335.

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